


No. 29499

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

 Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof

State of New Jersey, } ss: In the Court of Common Pleas of Essex County, N. J.  
Essex County, }

I, John Brachis, aged 41 years,  
occupation ice-dealer, do declare on oath that my personal  
description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 6 inches,  
weight 160 pounds, color of hair gray, color of eyes blue,  
other visible distinctive marks scars on forehead side of face  
I was born in Casa Grande  
on the 12 day of Feb., anno Domini 1898; I now reside  
at 44 Summit Ave. Newark, New Jersey.  
(Give number, street, and city or town)

I emigrated to the United States of America from Italy  
on the vessel Deck Brown; my last  
(If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given)  
foreign residence was Casa Grande; I am 3 married; the name  
of my wife is Anna; she was born at Casa Grande  
and now resides at Newark N. J.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign  
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King of the Netherlands.

King of the Netherlands, of whom I am now a subject;  
I arrived at the port of New York, in the  
State of N. Y., on or about the 22 day  
of April, anno Domini 1902; I am not an anarchist; I am not a  
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith  
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:  
SO HELP ME GOD.

John Brachis  
(Original signature of declarant)

Subscribed and sworn to before me in the office of the Clerk of said Court  
at Newark, N. J., this 24 day of January  
anno Domini 191 22.

[SEAL]

Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas.

By

Deputy Clerk.